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SUBJECT: KUWAIT AIRWAYS TO BUY BOEING 737

1. DURING BRIEF CONVERSATION AT SOCIAL FUNCTION APRIL 2 KUWAIT AIRWAYS CHAIRMAN FAISAL FLEIJ TOLD EMBOFF COMPANY HAD PURCHASED BOEING 737 AIRCRAFT. HE CONFIRMED THAT PLANE WILL BE FOR AMIR'S USE AND THAT KAC, IN EFFECT, HAD BEEN DIRECTED TO PURCHASE A BOEING 737.

2. FLEIJ STRESSED THAT KAC NOT NECESSARILY FAVORING BOEING OVER OTHER COMPANIES AND THEREFORE WIDE-BODIED COMPETITION STILL OPEN. HE ADDED, HOWEVER, THAT KAC STILL HAS NOT DECIDED WHAT AIRCRAFT TO BUY. NOR DID HE INDICATE WHEN DECISION LIKELY TO BE MADE. WE ARE WAITING TO SEE WHAT OTHERS IN REGION WILL DO, HE SAID.
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